

**REMARKS**

Applicant would like to thank the Examiner for the careful consideration given the present application. The application has been carefully reviewed in light of the Office action, and amended as necessary to more clearly and particularly describe the subject matter which applicant regards as the invention.

In the Office action, the Examiner has determined that claims directed toward two separately patentable inventions are presented in the present application, and has required applicant to elect a single invention for prosecution on the merits. The inventions identified by the Examiner are:

Group I:       Claims 1-10 and

Group II       Claims 11-12.

In response to the restriction/election requirement, applicant hereby elects, without traverse, Group I, claims 1-10.

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Respectfully submitted,

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